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SUBJ: CONCESSIONAL SALES OF NONFAT DRY MILK

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1. INITIAL CONTACTS WITH IVORIAN MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
AND LOCAL UNDP AND WHO REPS INDICATE VERY LITTLE INTEREST
ON PART OF GOIC IN PURCHASING NONFAT DRY MILK (NFDM).

2. UNDP WAS SUPPLYING SMALL QUANTITIES OF NFDM TO IVORY
COAST UNTIL THREE YEARS AGO. NFDM WENT TO RESETTLERS
DISPLACED BY DAM CONSTRUCTION. PRODUCT WAS SUPPLIED IN
54 LB. CASES CONTAINING 12 POLY PACKAGES AT 4.5 LBS. EACH.

3. APPARENTLY SOME ERRONEOUS BELIEF AMONG IVORY COAST
MEDICAL PROFESSION THAT NFDM CAUSES DIARRHEA BUT ANY
INCIDENCE DETECTED NO DOUBT ATTRIBUTABLE TO WATER USED
TO PREPARE PRODUCT FOR CONSUMPTION. WHEN NFDM WAS BEING
SUPPLIED BY UNDP THERE WERE REPORTS THAT THE PRODUCT
WAS NOT BEING USED BUT MERELY BEING SET ASIDE.

4. WILL MAKE FURTHER INQUIRIES AT MINISTRY OF HEALTH
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AND MINISTRY OF EDUCATION. THERE IS A PLAN TO ESTABLISH
FIFTY SCHOOL LUNCH CANTEENS. NFDM MAY ALSO BE USED AT
CHILD CARE CENTERS. BUT THUS FAR WE DETECT VERY LITTLE
ENTHUSIASM FOR NFDM IN THIS RELATIVELY WEALTHY DEVELOPING
COUNTRY.
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